Damaged Government quarters in Sarojini Nagar, Delhi

2927. SHRI NAND KISHORE BHATT: Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some type IV houses in Sarojini Nagar, Delhi, have been damaged|demolished;

(b) whether it is also a fact that C.P.W.D. has not taken any action to re-construct those houses in spite of the representations made by the Government Employees Association of the area in the matter;

(c) whether it is also a fact that one of the damaged houses has been unauthorisedly occupied by an allottee of a neighbouring house; and

(d) if so, what action Government have taken in the matter particularly against the concerned officers of the C.P.W.D. and the Directorate of Estates?

THE DEPUTY MINISTEP IN THE MINISTRY OF WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI MOHD. USMAN ARIF): (a) Yes.

(b) No.

(c) Yes.

(d) No action is proposed as the CPWD authorities have already moved for eviction of unauthorised occupant by the Estate Officer in the Directorate of Estates.

Women's education in Seventh Plan

2928. SHRI GAYA CHAND BHUYAN: Will the Minister of EDUCATION AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the literacy rate among rural women according to 1981 census, what is the percentage increase compared to 1971 census; and

(b) what are the details of the strategy for development of women's education during the Seventh Five Year Plan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND SOCIAL WELFARE (SHRIMATI SHEILA KAUL): (a) The literacy rate among rural women has increased from 13.17 per cent in 1971 to 17.96 per cent in 1981 according to the census reports.

(b). The Seventh Five Year Plan is in the process of formulation and details of strategy for development of various programme including women's education during the Seventh Plan will be known only when the Plan is finalised.

Schemes to improve the economic and Social conditions of rural people

2929. SHRI RAM BHAGAT PASWAN: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of schemes have been introduced for improving the economic and social conditions of rural people;

(b) if so, what is the percentage of rural people who are benefited and brought above the poverty line;

(c) what are the details of the amounts which have been sanctioned by the Central Government to different States during the years 1982-83 and 1983-84.

(d) whether the Central Government have made any assessment with regard to the proper utilisation of funds allotted to different States; and

(e) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI MOHSINA KIDWAI): (a) The major schemes of rural development being implemented by the Ministry for improving socio-economic conditions of the rural people are (i) Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP), (ii)